

## KRUSE WAS THERE

At the Meeting of the Committee Last Night

## BUT REPORTERS WERE BARRED

Alderman Sproul Reinstates His Charges and Declares That He is Prepared to File More of Them.

The common council committee on claims and accounts, which was instructed at the meeting last Monday night to ascertain whether or not Poor Director Kruse had turned over to the city treasurer all the money in his hands belonging to the city, and especially the \$23.42 received from Mrs. Dudley of the U. S. A. home, last in the office of superintendent of Public Schools Chairman, last night. The chairman of the committee, Alderman Carpenter, and the other two members, Alderman Stem and Alderman Wurtburg, are democrats. The chairman of the committee instructed the colored porter to inform all reporters who showed up that one or two of the committee had been seen about the city hall but that as the poor director had not put in an appearance, they had gone home. The porter, performed his duty faithfully, but the intelligence he gave was misleading. Poor Director Kruse, evidently realizing that he was at last in the hands of his friends, did show up. A reporter for THE HERALD asked permission to attend the meeting, but was informed that the investigation was to be of the star-chamber order. Alderman Sproul was on hand to present his charges again, but was not allowed to enter. Alderman Carpenter took him aside and questioned him alone. Alderman Sproul reiterated what had been said Monday night relative to the \$23.42 which Kruse is alleged to have pocketed. He was asked to give what other evidence he had in his hands, but refused to do so, saying that if what he had already presented was not sufficient, he would then produce more. It is said that an effort will be made to patch up the hole into which, it is claimed, Kruse has put his foot. What the action of the committee was last night can not be guessed.

## IN JAIL FOR ARSON.

Otto and Simon Van Helden Fire a Building.

For some time past John Robins has been operating the old machine shop located at the corner of Third and I streets, on the west side. Among his employees was Simon Van Helden, aged 35 years. Some difficulty arose between the two over a question of wages. Van Helden declared that he would get even. To this end, yesterday afternoon he went to the second story of the structure occupied, taking with him a can of kerosene and a bag of shavings. These he placed on the floor, and saturated them with kerosene. He then struck a match and handed it to his brother, telling him to touch it to the shavings. He asked him why he wanted him to do it, and he replied that he would tell him after they got home. The shavings were ignited and the boys scurried down the stairs, but they were observed. The next instant smoke was seen issuing from the windows by a workman who happened to be outside. By adopting prompt measures the blaze, which was still in the incipient stage, was extinguished before any damage was done.

## WILL MAKE FURTHER INQUIRY.

The Inquest Over James Johnson in Progress.

The inquest over the remains of James Johnson, the colored veteran who was stabbed at the Soldiers' home by Peter Thomas, was begun yesterday morning before Coroner Bradish. Several witnesses were sworn, who testified to the occurrences on the night of the affray substantially as has been published. It was proven that Thomas drew a knife and stabbed Johnson while having a quarrel over politics; that Johnson was drunk and quarrelsome; that Bradish was a post mortem, but made no further research than to examine the fatal artery, which was pierced by Thomas' knife. It was found that no hemorrhage had occurred since the wound was dressed by the surgeon, and Coroner Bradish thought it advisable to examine the heart and lungs and other organs, to ascertain their condition. The inquest was adjourned until this morning at 10 o'clock.

## SOLD TO THE KID.

James Grady in Court for Selling Liquor to Boys.

James Grady was arraigned in police court yesterday for selling liquor to minors. Grady is proprietor of a wholesale liquor store on Ionia street. A 17-year-old boy named Tunis purchased of him 15 cents worth of whiskey. John Timmerman, 15 years old, first tried to obtain the liquor, but was refused. Then Tunis tried his hand and said he was 21 years old. He was successful, though his appearance would indicate that he was not more than the age given above. Grady's attorney was not present. He examined the witnesses himself. The testimony of the boys finished the case for the people and an adjournment was taken until March 23.

## Innocent Name's Will.

The will of Isaac D. Hanson, who was killed by being thrown out of his buggy and striking his head against a post on last week, was filed with the clerk of the probate court yesterday. The petition for probate states that the real estate left is worth \$12,000, and that there is personal property aggregating a value of \$50,000. The testator bequeathed to his granddaughter, Mrs. Mattie Weatherman, Mrs. Jennie Pennell and James J. Pennell, and his great-grandchildren, Susan R. Pennell and Lena Pennell, each one-third of his estate. Rev. Isaac D. Hanson of Richmond, N. F. died. The balance of his estate he leaves to his daughter, Celia D. Pennell and John J. Pennell. The last two are made administrators.

## David Pandy in Court.

David Pandy, Charles David and James David were arraigned in police court yesterday on the charge of being drunk and disorderly. Their father made the complaint and said that they had intoxicated upon him a large quantity of malted malt. On first viewing the people could not make the identity of the father of the charge stick, consequently the court

discharged them on motion of the prosecuting attorney, and they were re-arrested and will plead guilty to being drunk. James was given his liberty. Daniel and Charles went to jail for ten days.

## For Stealing a Horse.

Charles Crabb was arraigned in the circuit court yesterday for stealing Dr. McPherson's horse about four months ago. He pleaded not guilty and the trial was begun. The people's side of the case was short. The defense swore several witnesses and then an adjournment was taken until this morning.

## Court Notes.

John W. Farrell and Richard Dent, whose bail was retracted for non-appearance in the superior court Monday, put in an appearance yesterday. Their trial was set aside, and Mr. Farrell pleaded guilty to the charge of keeping his saloon open on election day. His sentence was deferred until March 22. John B. Hughes' sentence was deferred until the same date.

Daniel W. Richman, Sigmund A. Schmidt and Arthur D. Wolf were given a judgment of \$1023.03 against Vossen Brothers, by Judge Grove yesterday, in the circuit court. The defendants withdrew their plea.

Ray Crampton, 8 years old, while playing in the Baxter street school yard, fell and broke his left leg below the knee. He was taken to his home on Thurman avenue, where the fracture was reduced.

Frank Maloney and L. Sandler were arraigned in police court yesterday for being disorderly characters. They confessed guilt and were fined, the first \$4.85, and the latter \$3.85, which they paid.

Judge Haggerty, after an illness of two weeks, was on the bench in police court again yesterday. During his absence Assistant Police Judge Westfall had taken his place.

The case against James Betzler, arrested on South Division street, for being disorderly, was nolle prosequo on motion of the city attorney in police court yesterday.

In the case of E. B. Miller & Co. vs. William McWilliams, Judge Grove yesterday rendered a judgment for the plaintiff of \$114.89 and costs.

In the case of Minor Ingalls, accused of forgery, witnesses were ordered subpoenaed at the expense of the people.

Albert M. Brubacher was admitted to citizenship by Judge Grove yesterday in the circuit court.

Richard Dent was arraigned and pleaded not guilty.

## Gave Merrill a Chance.

J. Frank Merrill, formerly postmaster at Acme, was indicted by the grand jury for unlawfully disposing of postage stamps. It appeared that Merrill kept a general store and turned over postage stamps in payment for goods to the amount of \$80. He reported in his quarterly returns that the stamps disposed of had been cancelled. He pleaded guilty in the United States court yesterday, and Judge Severens imposed a fine upon him of \$300, and held the case open for four weeks in order to give the plaintiff a chance to produce the amount.

## Settled by Agreement.

The litigation which has been pending in the circuit court between J. S. Walker and John W. McGrath, has been settled by stipulation. The bill filed by the plaintiff alleged fraud, etc., and to this the defendant filed a cross-bill making counter charges and denials. The entire plant has been bought by the plaintiff, who will carry on the business at the old stand.

## LAW AND LAWYERS.

United States Court.

JUDGE SEVERENS.

W. C. Hicks of Benton Harbor and Chas. E. Wood of this city admitted to practice.

James Kneeland vs. R. G. Peters and Arthur Meigs; judgment for \$329.38 for plaintiff.

United States vs. Edward Slaus, indictment for placing improper matter on a postal card; sentenced to pay a fine of \$25.

United States vs. J. Frank Merrill, indictment for unlawful disposition of postage stamps; plea of guilty; sentenced to pay a fine of \$300.

United States vs. Gustine Johnson, indictment for smuggling; plea of guilty entered; sentenced to pay a fine of \$75.

United States vs. Peter Schuur, indictment for placing improper matter on postal card; motion to quash granted.

United States vs. Edwin Gudachinsky, indictment for opening another's letter; on trial.

Circuit Court—Part I.

JUDGE GROVE.

E. B. Miller & Co. vs. William McWilliams, assumpsit; judgment for plaintiff for \$114.89 and costs.

May A. Foster vs. John Snyder, assumpsit; arguments submitted.

Albert M. Brubacher admitted to citizenship.

Daniel W. Richman, Sigmund A. Schmidt and Arthur D. Wolf vs. Albert Vossen and Louis Vossen, assumpsit; judgment for plaintiff for \$1023.03 and costs.

Samuel L. Crockett and Edward J. Hoppins vs. Alfred E. Yerxa; by consent, continued over term without costs.

Peter Bos vs. Telegram-Herald Publishing company, trespass on the case; by consent, continued over term without costs.

Lily Eichelsdier vs. Abram Levy and Jessie Levi, replevin; on trial.

Circuit Court—Part II.

JUDGE ADAMS.

People vs. Charles Crab, larceny of a house; on trial.

In the Superior Court.

JUDGE BURLINGAME.

The People vs. John W. Farrell; assumpsit on election day; assumpsit on election day; assumpsit on election day. Sentence deferred until March 22.

The People vs. John B. Hughes; assumpsit on Sunday. Sentence deferred until March 22.

The People vs. Minor Ingalls; forgery; subpoenas ordered for Mrs. Ingalls and Ingalls for witness for respondent at expense of the people.

The People vs. Richard Dent; embezzlement; assumpsit on election day; assumpsit on election day. Sentence deferred until March 22.

been putting off the treatment which they know they need, should no longer doubt the evidence of their own senses. What greater proof do they want of a physician's skill than they have of Dr. A. F. & S. "Success is the test of merit," and the Dr. A. F. & S. success is remarkable as it is substantial. Their reputation rests upon the solid basis of work done, and of value rendered for every dollar of fees they have collected. At Sweet's hotel Friday, Saturday and Sunday of this week.

## A City Bull Upon a Hill Cannot Be Hid.

The Doctors A. F. & S. of the Forest City Medical Dispensary are known wherever they have exercised their marvelous skill, and that in every village and hamlet in this great state, to say nothing of the thousands in other states who have profited by their treatment. The young thank them for lost manhood renewed; the middle-aged because they have restored them to a capacity for enjoyment, which they feared was lost forever; and the old because they have smoothed the path of declining years. At Sweet's hotel, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, March 16, 17 and 20.

## Forbidden by Law in Old Ireland Shamrocks.

The shamrock may be forbid by law to grow on Irish ground, but The Tower will distribute 2000 shamrocks to all who participate in the parade tomorrow. Come to The Tower in the morning and get one of these beautiful button-hole souvenirs. No charge to our friends.

The great 17c neckwear sale closes at noon tomorrow; opens at 7 a. m. They may all be gone before you get there, so avoid the rush—17c for all silk tucks and four-in-hands. Place, The Tower.

Gross & Blackwell's chow chow, gherkins and mixed pickles 5c cents per quart bottle at Hatch's.

Best family flour, 25-pound sack for 50 cents, or 100 pounds for \$2.00 at Hatch's.

TOMATOES, corn, peas, string and lima beans at Hatch's for 8 cents per can.

Lion coffee 22c per pound at Hatch's.

Best Headlight oil 7c per gallon at Hatch's.

Wearing of the Green on St. Patrick's Day at The Tower.

Shamrocks for button-hole ornamentation gone away tomorrow. We have provided two thousand of these handsome Boutonnieres for free distribution on St. Patrick's day. Those who intend participating in the parade will be supplied by calling at The Tower early on the morning of the 17th.

The great sale of neckwear advertised by The Tower as coming off tomorrow morning is the talk down town. Silk four-in-hands and tucks worth 50c and 75c will be sold out of The Tower windows at 17c for half a day only. Remember on St. Patrick's day morning.

This week the entire silk stock of E. P. Kilduff & Co. will be offered at 9c. Black silks, colored silks, plains and fancies all go at 9c. Many of these goods are worth 35c, 45c and 55c, but all go at 9c, and are startling bargains.

Best family flour, 25-pound sack for 50 cents, or 100 pounds for \$2.00 at Hatch's.

The first grand ball for the benefit of the unemployed members of the Tinners', Shestons and Cornice-workers' Local Union, No. 98, will be given at Arbeiter hall, on Thursday evening, March 17. Admission 25 cents.

Six bars Santa Claus soap for 25 cents at Hatch's.

Eight pounds of the best rolled oats for 25c at Hatch's.

Eight pounds of the best rolled oats for 25c at Hatch's.

Maple sugar 8 cents per pound at Hatch's.

Mince meat 8 cents per package at Hatch's.

Lemon pickles 5 cents per dozen at Hatch's.

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O'Hara's \$2.50 Sale.

This week we offer you your choice of any pair of \$3.00, \$5.00 or \$4.00 shoes in ladies or men's wear at \$2.50. These goods are broken sizes and have left over our sale last month, and must be closed out this week at O'Hara's, 73 Canal street, corner Crescent avenue.

Sardines in oil, five cents per can; Mustard Sardines, 10 cents per can at Hatch's.

Sealed Proposals Will be received at the office of the Supervising Architect, Treasury Department, Washington, D. C., until 2 o'clock p. m., on the 6th day of April, 1932, and opened immediately thereafter, for all the labor and material required for decorative painting, etc., for the United States court house and postoffice building at Grand Rapids, Mich., in accordance with the drawings and specification, copies of which may be had on application at this office or the office of the custodian at Grand Rapids, Mich. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check for a sum not less than 25 percent of the amount of the proposal. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids and to waive any defect or informality in any bid. All bids received after the time stated will be returned to the bidder. Proposals must be enclosed in envelopes, sealed and marked, "Proposals for decorative painting, etc., for the United States court house and postoffice building, Grand Rapids, Mich.," and addressed to J. W. Edbrooke, supervising architect.

March 9, 1932.

Remarked by R. C. Johnson of Allen P. O. Hilledale county, Mich. "Nothing gave me my rheumatism such quick relief as Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil—believe it is the life for rheumatism."

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## OF VITAL IMPORTANCE

What Proper Attention at the Proper Time May Avert.

Those who have treated troubles in the head and throat as of minor and trifling consequence have had a terrible lesson in the last few months. Most of those who have been attacked this winter for pneumonia and in grippe in its serious and fatal forms, have had their systems broken down by colds and in most cases by a catarrhal condition extending over a considerable length of time. They were in no condition to resist the attack of these dangerous diseases and very many victims. The most common of catarrhs prevalent in a climate like ours, with its constant and extreme changes of temperature, demand for these reasons the most careful and vigilant attention. The membrane lining of the nose, throat and bronchial tubes were inflamed by the catarrhal condition became a veritable guard spot for the germs of La grippe, Pneumonia and Consumption. There is but one safe course to pursue. It is this: When you begin to notice catarrhal symptoms in the head and throat such as sneezing, the watery condition of the eyes, headache, dryness of the throat, followed by a hacking cough, give it immediate attention. Salinity and irritation of the right time may avert an attack that will prove serious and perhaps fatal.

The Montague Treatment, recently located at 15 and 17 Powers' Opera House Block, is for the treatment and cure of some of this kind, and those suffering from any of the above symptoms will do well to call at their offices and try their mode of treatment. It is a safe, prompt and effective. One trial will convince you.

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